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IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OHIO

WESTERN DIVISION

In re Polyurethane Foam Antitrust

Litigation

Case No. 1:10 MD 2196

<u>ORDER</u>

This document relates to:

JUDGE JACK ZOUHARY

ALL DIRECT PURCHASER CLASS CASES

ALL INDIRECT PURCHASER CLASS

CASES

Pending before the Court is the Vitafoam Defendants' Proposed Stipulated Order Extending

Time to Answer Direct and Indirect Purchaser Plaintiffs' Consolidated Amended Class Action

Complaints (Doc. No. 228).

In light of the various Defendants' pending Motions to Reconsider (Doc. Nos. 202–04, 214),

and this Court's Order clarifying that when one party files a motion regarding a common issue, this

Motion will be treated as entered for all parties (Doc. No. 222). This Court recognizes that there are

some remaining issues requiring resolution in order for individual Defendants to file a complete

Answer. In the interest of keeping all the trains moving down the track at the same speed (and

avoiding "me too" motions if the Court were to grant the Vitafoam Defendants' request), all

Defendants are granted an additional thirty (30) days after entry of this Order to answer Class

Plaintiffs' respective Consolidated Amended Class Action Complaints.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

s/ Jack Zouhary

JACK ZOUHARY

U. S. DISTRICT JUDGE

August 15, 2011